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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Imagery Exploitation Group
Chief, Production Services Group
Chief, Technical Services & Support Group
Chief, Planning, Programming & Budgeting Staff

SUBJECT : Concept of Real Time Imagery Exploitation

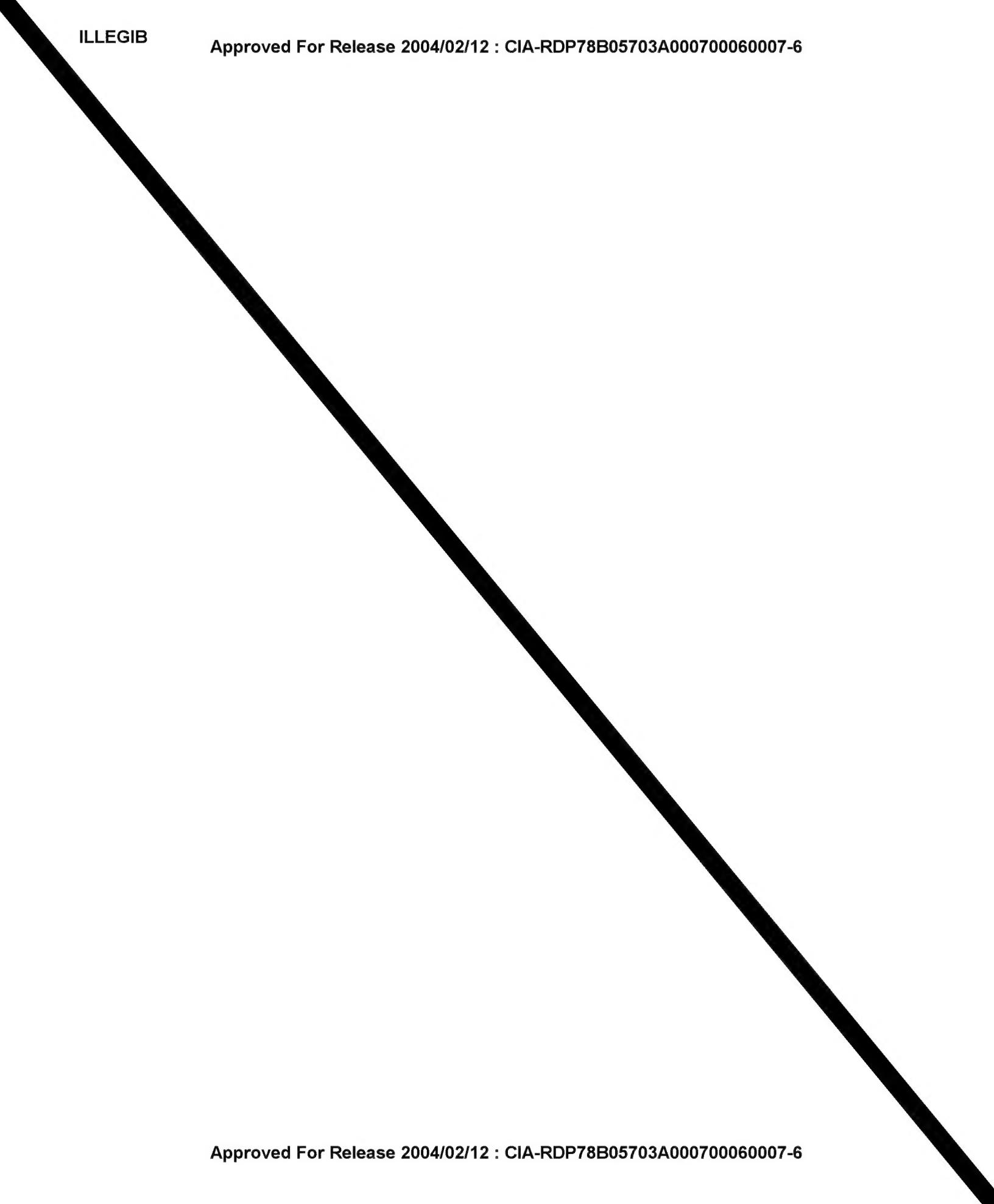
On
1. ~~Based upon~~ the assumption that a real time imagery collection system will be introduced during the mid-70's, it is essential that our Five-Year Plan for FY 72-76 reflect the Center's concept of exploitation in the real time era and the Center's alternatives for development over the next five years as we make the transition to accommodate the product of the new system.

✓ 2. I am, therefore, establishing a ~~committee, under the aegis of~~ ^(special team) ~~PPBS~~, to assist in the development of our initial concept of real time exploitation. Because of the urgency in accomplishing this task for consideration in this year's Five-Year Planning exercise, I desire that the ~~committee~~ ^{Team} commence today and complete its report by 14 November 1969.

3. The Committee will be ~~chaired~~ ^{led} by the Chief, PPBS, or his designee.

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4. I realize that a fully detailed concept of operations under real time conditions cannot be developed and presented in the short period of time available for this committee effort. I would expect, however, that the major areas of the real time system impact on the Center and the degree of such impact would be assessed in sufficient detail to provide a base of information which can then be furnished to the Groups for consideration in formulating their plans for the present five-year planning period.

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Executive Director, NPIC

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